

Dear Principals, Teachers, Students, and Parents of Indiana 4th grade students,

On December 11, 1816, Indiana was admitted as the 19th state to join the Union. Please join the Statehouse Tour Office for **“Indiana Statehood Day,”** in celebrating Indiana’s 193rd birthday.

The day at the Statehouse will begin as early as 9:00 AM and include interactive activities presented by Executive Offices, Legislative Offices, the Indiana Supreme Court, State Museum, State Archives State Library, Historical Bureau, History Center and other State Agencies.

Many Executive, Legislative and Judicial offices will be open to visit.

At noon the celebration will move to the North Atrium for an exciting program that will feature:

- Words of welcome from government officials, members of all three branches of state government.
- Special music.
- Reading of the winning essay by its author. (see additional information about entering the competition)
- Installation of the original copies of Indiana’s 1816 and 1851 State Constitutions by the State Archivist, into a specially designed display case in the Rotunda.
- Please call the Capitol Tour Office to make a reservation for the activities and the program. **(317-233-5293). Call soon, space will be limited!**

Hope to see you and your 4th graders at the Statehouse !!!